

ABSTRACT

AN IMAGE CONTROL SYSTEM

5 An image control system for controlling a menu on a display, comprises
a menu arranged as a plurality of simultaneously displayed menu items in a
loop and a selector (12) to select an item from the menu, the loop and the
selector being moveable with respect to each other. A user input device (4)
comprises a control device (6; 16) to generate a control signal to move the
10 loop and the selector (12) relative to each other. The control device (6; 16)
has a loop configuration, with movement around the loop of the control device
causing corresponding relative movement between the selector (12) and the
loop of the menu. Correlation between the loop configuration of the control
device and the loop of menu items enables a user to intuitively navigate
15 around a menu of items and select a desired one.

[Fig 1]

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